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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
[Public Notice 8247]

In the Matter of the Designation of

Ansar al-Dine

also known as Ansar Dine

also known as Ansar al-Din

also known as Ancar Dine

also known as Ansar ul-Din

also known as Ansar Eddine

also known as Defenders of the Faith

as a Specially Designated Global Terrorist pursuant to Section 1(b) of Executive

Order 13224, as amended.

Acting under the authority of and in accordance with section 1(b) of Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001, as amended by Executive Order 13268 of July 2, 2002, and Executive Order 13284 of January 23, 2003, I hereby determine that the entity known as Ansar al- Dine, also known as Ansar Dine, also known as Ansar al-Din, also known as Ancar Dine, also known as Ansar ul-Din, also known as Ansar Eddine, also known as Defenders of the Faith, committed, or poses a significant risk of committing, acts of terrorism that threaten the security of U.S. nationals or the national security, foreign policy, or economy of the United States.

Consistent with the determination in section 10 of Executive Order 13224 that “prior notice to persons determined to be subject to the Order who might have a constitutional presence in the United States would render ineffectual the blocking and other measures authorized in the

Order because of the ability to transfer funds instantaneously,” I determine that no prior notice needs to be provided to any person subject to this determination who might have a constitutional presence in the United States, because to do so would render ineffectual the measures authorized in the Order.

This notice shall be published in the Federal Register.

March 11, 2013

Date

John F. Kerry
Secretary of State

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